

Short Items From Town and County

Cotton ginned to December 1, 1922, 5,596, 1921, 3,902 bales.

L. A. Griffith has been quite ill with pneumonia following influenza for the past several days.

Dr. Robert Black is able to attend to his practice again after an attack of influenza, his friends will be glad to learn.

The business meeting of the Baptist Woman's Missionary society will be held at the church next Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bruce regretted to learn that their little son, Arthur, had the misfortune recently to break his arm.

Rev. R. H. Jones, who formerly served as pastor here, was transferred from Georgetown to St. Matthews by the recent Methodist conference.

The basket ball team of the Bamberg high school spent several days last week on a tour, playing Edgefield Saturday, and, as usual, winning the game.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fickling will be glad to learn that their baby, Mary Elizabeth, who has been critically ill, is at present improving.

Jonah Cowart, of this city, was fined \$20 and costs in the federal court in Charleston last week on a charge of violation of the prohibition law. He paid the fine.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Jennings regret to learn of their illness with influenza. Both have been quite ill, but are now much improved and are well on the road to recovery.

Last Saturday was one of the hottest days of the fall season, while Monday was one of the coldest. The sudden change in the weather is probably largely responsible or much of the prevailing illness.

The Southern railway property in Bamberg is receiving a fresh coat of paint this week. Both stations, freight and passenger, as well as the other railroad buildings, are presenting a much improved appearance from brush and paint.

Dr. Robert Black was named by the Baptist state convention last week as a member of the general mission board to take the place of Rev. Geo. P. White, removed. Dr. Black will represent the Barnwell association on the general board.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Cope will learn with sincere regret of their anticipated removal to Orangeburg January 1st. Mr. Cope is president of the Orangeburg mills and the Bamberg mills, and much of his interests are in Orangeburg.

The friends of little Elmer Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Black, will be delighted to know that she is improving after a very serious illness. Other members of Mr. Black's family have also been ill with influenza, but are now recovering.

The local friends and relatives of Ralph Brown, the young man who was tried in Beaufort last week for the alleged murder of T. L. P. Betton, an aged resident of that place, were delighted to learn that he was acquitted of the charge. Mr. Brown claimed self-defence in the trial, and the jury required but a short time to render a verdict of not guilty.

L. W. Amick, for several years local representative of the Standard Oil company, has been transferred to Fairfax, and the local agency has been taken over by J. B. Brickie on a commission basis. Mr. Amick has many friends here who regret to see him leave. He left for his new agency this week, and Mr. Brickie is now serving the patrons of the Standard.

Apollo Music Club.

The Apollo Music club was delightfully entertained by Miss Vista Brabham at her home Thursday afternoon. After reports were read and business disposed the following programme was enjoyed by all:

Subject—Lucia di Lammermoor. Donizetti (1797-1848), Biography, Mrs. Olin Watson.

Story of Lucia di Lammermoor, Mrs. B. T. Felde. Vocal solo (selected), Mrs. Annie Black.

Left hand arrangement of Sextette from Lucia, Mrs. Paul Whitaker.

The Hallelujah Chorus from "The Messiah" was then practiced for the Christmas meeting.

After adjournment a delicious salad course was served by the hostess.

The Cope School Improvement association will hold a bazaar next Friday afternoon and evening, beginning at four o'clock. Supper will be served. There will be fancy work, dolls, cake, flowers and candy, as well as a miscellaneous assortment of things for sale. Every one is cordially invited.—adv.

Dark town society will perform Friday evening for Woodrow Wilson Foundation benefit. You must not miss this performance.—Adv.

Methodists Regret Loss of Mr. Cantey

Sunday Rev. S. O. Cantey, the beloved pastor of Trinity Methodist church for the past three years, conducted his farewell services in Bamberg before going to his new pastorate at Hartsville. Mr. Cantey's pastorate ended in Bamberg with the previous Sunday, but on invitation he remained here and preached Sunday morning and evening, as Dr. Daniel, the new pastor, would not arrive until the present week.

At the close of the Sunday school services Sunday morning, Miss Creighton read resolutions regretting the removal of Mr. Cantey, and strongly commending him as pastor, preacher and citizen to his new home. These resolutions were unanimously adopted by the Sunday school. Resolutions were also read on behalf of Carlisle school regretting the leaving of Mr. Cantey.

The Methodist pastor took occasion Sunday morning to review the progress of the church during the past few years. He said that he was very sorry to leave Bamberg, and that the people here would never be forgotten. His three years in Bamberg had been pleasant in every respect. He urged his church on to new ideals of progress and stressed some of the methods which might be employed.

Carlisle school requests publication of the following regarding Mr. Cantey.

"The announcement of Rev. S. O. Cantey's removal was a veritable thunder-bolt from a clear sky. He filled a two-fold mission on our campus, viz., our beloved pastor and Bible teacher, the latter being added to his regular clerical duties when Rev. W. J. Snyder was removed one year ago. Words will not express the emotions of our hearts. We must say that our loyal and sympathetic friend was taken from us at least one year before we expected such to take place as a result of the Methodist itinerant system (and for no other reason).

"The whole record of his ministerial career in our midst is one of unselfish generosity. Always greeting every one with a laugh which is all his own, he won the love and admiration of his congregation and many of other denominations. His policy must be (though we haven't heard him say so) 'scatter sunshine.' 'No one has ever displayed a sweeter spirit than he even in the face of disappointment and trials. You will go a long way before you find a better pastor, and we feel our loss keenly. However, we are taught to respect authority and to bear without a murmur whatever is meted out to us. In conclusion, we invoke God's richest blessings upon him and his family as they go to the new field of labor, Hartsville."

Dr. Thomas Black Heads A. F. M. Lodge

At the last regular meeting of Ornan lodge, No. 38, Ancient Free Masons. Dr. Thomas Black was elected worshipful master for the ensuing year. Dr. Black and the other officers elected were installed the same evening. A full list of all officers for the coming year is as follows:

W. M.—Dr. Thomas Black.
S. W.—J. A. McMillan.
J. W.—J. Carl Kearse.
Treasurer—H. L. Hinnant.
Secretary—Thomas Ducker.
S. D.—F. B. Hooks.
J. D.—H. L. Kearse.
Stewards—Tom Chagaris and H. L. Rentz.
Tiler—D. W. Phillips.

U. D. C. Meeting.

The December of the Francis Marion Bamberg chapter, U. D. C., was held at the home of Mrs. G. M. M. Dickinson, Tuesday afternoon. Regardless of the inclement weather, quite a number of members were present and enjoyed one of the best meetings of the year.

The president, Mrs. J. F. Carter, and Mrs. John Cope gave very interesting reports of the U. D. C. convention which convened in Greenwood last week. Hearing of the good and great work being accomplished by other chapters makes us realize all the more our duties and fills us with determination to do them. Much business was discussed during the afternoon and the chapter decided to buy two health bonds.

The following programme was enjoyed: Piano duet, Mesdames F. M. M. M. and E. H. Henderson. Paper, "An Estimate of Southern Poetry," Miss Newsom. Poem, "The Little White Boat" (Will Allen Dromgoole), Mrs. J. J. Jones. Poem, "God of the Deep," Mrs. B. D. Carter.

The hostess, assisted by Mesdames F. B. McCrackin and Tom Bell, served a delicious salad course with Russian tea.

Clever Forgery Was Effected Saturday

As a result of a clever forgery last Saturday, the Cash Dry Goods company is minus \$30.00. The forgery did not become known until discovered by the First National Bank a couple of days later.

A rather well dressed young man came into the Cash Dry Goods company Saturday night and asked that a check for \$30.00, purported to have been drawn by a well known citizen of Bamberg, be cashed for him. Col. W. A. Klauber, president of the First National and part owner of the Cash Dry Goods company, was in the store and Mr. Morris asked him if the check was good. Col. Klauber replied, without close inspection of the signature, that the gentleman whose name appeared on the check, could draw one for any amount and it would be good.

Unfortunately, however, the gentleman had not drawn the check. His name had been forged and the check was worthless.

DEATH OF MRS. L. M. KINSEY.

Former Bamberg County Woman Dies in Lakeland, Fla.

The following, clipped from a Lakeland, Fla., paper, will be of interest to Bamberg county friends and relatives of Mrs. Sarah V. Kinsey. Mrs. Kinsey was a resident of this county until three years ago, when she moved to Florida to make her home.

Friends and acquaintances will be grieved to learn of the death of Mrs. Sarah V. Kinsey, wife of L. M. Kinsey, which occurred Saturday afternoon, Dec. 2, at Plant City, where they lived. The funeral services were held at Griffin, conducted by Dr. W. J. Bolin of the First Baptist church of Lakeland Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock and interment took place in the Griffin cemetery. Mr. Kinsey was 76 years of age and is survived by her husband, two sons, L. F. Kinsey, of Plant City, and W. P. Kinsey, who lives on Route B. Lakeland, and a daughter, Mrs. J. S. Drawdy, who lives on Quincy street this city.

Before moving to Plant City two years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Kinsey resided in Lakeland a year, and were well and favorably known in this city, both being attendants and members of the Baptist church.

Boy Scout News.

Headquarters, Bamberg Boy Scouts, troop No. 1, Bamberg S. C., December 12, 1922.

There will be a meeting of the scouts Friday night at the M. E. church at 7:30 o'clock. All scouts are urged to be present.

PAUL WHITAKER, S. C.
WALTER H. ROWELL, S. S.

The Boy Scouts met last Friday at the M. E. church and the following programme was carried out:

Meeting called to order by scout master; roll called by scribe; minutes of last meeting; good deed roll call; left over business, about boys missing four nights; complaints; new scouts; new business; scout hunt; roll called; prayer; dismissed.

The scout hunt was quite interesting. Limit, south side Railroad avenue, oil mill, Midway street, Carlisle street. Object, to catch boys in ten minutes; they must try to get back to the church without being seen or caught.

Bamberg Hi Girls Win.

Edgefield, Dec. 9.—A spirited game of basketball was played here this afternoon between the Bamberg high school team and the Edgefield high school team. Mrs. Claude Lyon acted as umpire and W. O. Tatum, Jr., referee. The game was quick and snappy throughout and was all the more interesting because of the record of the two opposing teams have made for the past two years. The Bamberg girls have not lost a game in the past two years and not until this afternoon have the Edgefield girls lost a game, the score this afternoon being 21 to 20 in favor of Bamberg. The visiting girls arrived on the early afternoon train and will remain until tomorrow as guests of the home team. A delightful social function was given in their honor tonight.

Ehrhardt Mfg. Co., Bankrupt.

The Ehrhardt Manufacturing Company, of Ehrhardt, Bamberg County, yesterday filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court here, listing liabilities of \$9,956.20 and assets of \$6,570.33.—News and Courier.

You can't afford to miss the dark town wedding at Carlisle auditorium Friday evening. A laugh from start to finish.—Adv.

I still have a nice line of men's and boys' clothing at right prices. W. D. Rhoad's.—Adv.

Welcome Dr. Daniel on Sunday Evening

Dr. J. Walter Daniel, new pastor of Trinity Methodist church, is expected to arrive in the city today with his family, driving through the country from Sumter in his car. Announcement is made that Dr. Daniel will preach at Trinity church next Sunday morning.

Dr. Daniel comes to Bamberg from Trinity church, Sumter, which he has been serving for the past several years. Previous to this pastorate, Dr. Daniel served as presiding elder for some years. He easily ranks as one of the leading preachers of any denomination in South Carolina, and the local church is indeed fortunate in securing a preacher of such signal attainments and ability.

Sunday evening a welcome service will be held at the local Methodist church, at which the Baptist and Presbyterian congregations will join the Methodists in extending to the new pastor a welcome to the city. The programme for this service had not been completed as The Herald went to press, but this service will take the place of the regular evening service, and there will be no services at either of the other churches of the city Sunday evening. The public is cordially invited to attend this service.

Dr. Daniel, while never having served this pastorate, is quite well known to a large circle of friends in Bamberg.

The Govan Club.

The Govan Girls' Home Demonstration club held its regular meeting December, 5th, at the home of Mrs. J. B. Browning, we planned a party for the club, which was to be held purposely for our parents and teachers. The first thing we did was to prepare for our refreshments, which were chocolate fudge with nuts, candied orange peel, and salted peanuts. The hostesses were the officers of the club, which are Gussie Seabrook, Marguerite Seabrook, and Ethel Kittrell. They ushered in the guests as they arrived, when all the guests and club members were assembled in the parlor, which was artistically decorated in pink and white crepe paper. The club then held their regular meeting. The meeting was called to order, roll called, and minutes of former meeting read after that several songs were sung by the club members. After which we had a contest called a college tale. Everybody enjoyed it very much. Then games were played until four thirty. After that refreshments were served by Marguerite Seabrook, Evelyn Kittrell, and Louise Kennedy. Then we adjourned, everybody declaring that they had heartily enjoyed themselves. The next meeting will be held in January. ETHEL KITTRELL, Secretary.

Rev. R. A. Cottingham Goes to Hartsville

Rev. R. A. Cottingham, pastor of the local colored Methodist church, is preparing to move to Hartsville. He was transferred from Bamberg to Hartsville by the bishop at the recent conference.

Rev. Cottingham has been pastor of the church here for the past three or four years. He is a man of much ability and is popular not only among his own people, for whom he is a most earnest laborer, but among the white people as well.

It is a matter of much regret to his friends, white and colored, that he is leaving the city, and he and his family will carry the best wishes of many acquaintances here to their new home.

Men's Choral Club.

The Men's Choral club met with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Whitaker on Thursday evening. The club was called order by the president, H. N. Folk, and the programme of special music arranged for the evening was carried out. Paul Whitaker gave a violin selection, Mrs. Charles Black sang a solo, and LaVerne Thomas a base solo, all accompanied by Mrs. Whitaker.

H. L. Hinnant will be in charge of the special music at the next meeting.

After practicing some songs, the business part of the meeting was held, until a recess was taken to enjoy delightful refreshments of ambrosia, fruit cake, and candies, served by the hostess.

The club accepted an invitation to meet with H. L. Rentz on December 21st.

"Cullud Society" will be all in line Friday evening at Carlisle Auditorium. Big wedding followed by music, dancing and recitations.—Adv.

Just arrived a nice line of Stetson Hats, latest styles, W. D. Rhoad's.—Adv.

Carlisle Lad Heads Older Boys Meeting

News and Courier, Saturday.

The fourth annual State Older Boys' conference of the Y. M. C. A. of lower South Carolina convened at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the first session of its conference to be held in Charleston at the Citadel Square Baptist church Sunday school building. The session was opened with a devotional period followed by the annual business meeting of the convention.

There were in attendance delegate from many of the counties delectable Richland and from the eastern to the western borders of the State. Indications are that the conference will be one of the most important from many standpoints yet held.

Officers were elected for the present convention as follows: T. L. Fabian, Carlisle school, Bamberg, president; F. H. Shuler, Charleston, first vice president; R. F. Wilder, Sumter, second vice president; C. A. Lawton, Florence, secretary; Edwin Hyde, Charleston, assistant secretary.

Announcements covering the future sessions of the conventions were made covering the annual supper which was held at the Y. M. C. A. building at 6:30 o'clock, the regular sessions of the conference today commencing at 9:30 o'clock and the schedule for tomorrow. The conference will end tomorrow evening at a general meeting in the auditorium of the Citadel Square Baptist church at 8 o'clock.

The evening session was devoted to a supper served by the Mothers' club at the Y. M. C. A. The occasion was much of "pep" and enthusiasm and the large banquet room was filled almost to capacity with delegates and guests.

Music for the evening was furnished by the orchestra from the Porter Military Academy, and this, with the cheers from the various delegations at intervals during the supper made the evening a lively and happy one. Mr. R. Goodwyn Rhett acted as toastmaster and after the invocation, offered by the Rev. Walter Mitchell, D. D., of Porter Military Academy, introduced Mr. T. B. Latham, of Columbia, State secretary of the Y. M. C. A., who called on members of all delegates to make one-minute talks.

The talks were made by the following boys: Carlisle School, Bamberg Cadet T. L. Fabian; the Citadel, Cadet, R. M. Lyon; Brunson, M. C. Riser; Norway, James McCull; Dillon, Herbert Tender; Wagener, Dorsey Lybrand; Hampton, Hilton Lightsey; Florence, James Johnson; McClellanville, James Morris; Sumter, Richard Wilder; Lee County, Hall Player; Denmark, Carl McCarthy; Aiken, Alderman Duncan; Blackville, Leon Brown; Porter Military Academy, Walter McLeod, and William Holling representing the Charleston Hi-Y Club and the employed boys' club. The boys all proved themselves to be accomplished orators and much pleasure was derived from their talks.

Don't miss the entertainment Friday evening at Carlisle auditorium, for benefit Woodrow Wilson Foundation. It's a scream.—Adv.

Don't miss the fun at Carlisle auditorium, Friday evening.—Adv.

Ladies' and Men's wool and silk hosiery at W. D. Rhoad's.—Adv.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Wanted to Buy.—Peas, corn, hay, velvet beans. J. A. WYMAN, Bamberg, S. C. tfn

We can pick your peanuts, bale your hay. See or write L. F. SANDIFER, Bamberg, S. C. tfn

For Sale.—My home place on Church street. Cheap to quick buyer. D. J. DELK, Bamberg, S. C. tfn

Come to Denmark and select your farm mules. Prices right. F. H. McCRAE, Denmark, S. C. 12-14n

Come to Denmark and select your Milk Cow out of herd of thirty. F. H. McCRAE, Denmark, S. C. 12-14n.

Milk For Sale.—Sanitary barns, government inspected cows, rich chilled milk. WYMAN DAIRY, Bamberg, S. C. Phone 10-W. tfn

Milk.—We are now prepared to deliver milk every morning in time for breakfast in any quantity. See us for prices. Leave orders at Rentz & Felder's or see H. M. Herndon at RENTZ'S DAIRY FARM, Bamberg, S. C. tfn.

Wanted.—To buy from two to twenty million feet good pine timber, Long or Short Leaf. Must be well situated, good grade and reasonable price. Advise location, give accurate description, with price and terms. BAPTIST & GOODE, Boynton, Va. 1-18p

Farm for Sale.—Known as the old Susanna Morris estate, located 3 miles west of Olar, S. C., on public highway and mail route. 65 acres more or less, 40 cultivated; timber and house on place. Would sell very reasonable for cash. See or write Mrs. M. E. THOMAS, 355 East Broad St. Savannah, Ga. 12-21

Site Selected For New High School

The board of trustees of Bamberg school district, No. 14, have definitely accepted the donation of G. Frank Bamberg of two acres of land on the street leading to Mr. Bamberg's residence. Mr. Bamberg gave the trustees two acres of land for the site of the new high school building in this city.

The trustees have been considering several sites for the new high school building during the past several weeks, and a few days ago settled on Mr. Bamberg's site. The bonds for the erection of the new school building have been approved, and payment for the same is expected immediately. The contract has already been awarded to W. M. Jordan, of Greenville, and actual work of construction is expected to begin at a very early date.

In accepting the offer of Mr. Bamberg, the trustees first made arrangements for the purchase of additional land adjoining the site given by him, so as to give ample facilities for campus room.

Death of Mrs. Hughes.

Mrs. Harry E. Hughes died at her home a few miles across the river in Orangeburg county Saturday. The remains were interred at Canaan church Sunday, Rev. Mr. McCall, of Branchville, conducting the services.

Mrs. Hughes was only 26 years of age. She was stricken with influenza a few days ago, which developed into pneumonia, death resulting a short time afterward.

She is survived by her husband and several children.

For wet, sloppy winter weather get those all leather shoes from W. D. Rhoad's.—Adv.

SPECIAL NOTICES

For Rent.—Two story residence on Midway street. R. P. BELLINGER, Bamberg, S. C. tfn

Lost.—Saturday, cameo pin, set with pearls. Reward for return to MISS EDNA SPANN, Bamberg, S. C. 1tp.

For Rent.—My house is for rent, all or part of it. It is also for sale. See me at my home. MRS. CHAS. SMITH, 125 Church street, Bamberg, S. C. 1tp

For Rent.—Farm near Farrell's X roads known as the Patterson place 250 acres under cultivation. Apply to A. B. PATTERSON Box 1452, Columbia, S. C. 1-4n

Wanted.—No. 1 Pine logs 14" & up. Will pay cash when logs are delivered to our new band mill at Denmark, S. C. THE ZICKGRAF COMPANY, Denmark, S. C. 12-21p

Trespass Notice.—Notice is given that hunting, fishing, hauling wood, or trespassing in any manner is forbidden on the lands of the undersigned. G. A. RICE. 12-14p

Lost.—Bamberg Banking Co. Savings pass book No. 525, issued to Miss Carrie Bamberg. Finder will please return, if found, to the undersigned. W. E. FREE, Administrator estate Miss Carrie Bamberg, Bamberg, S. C. 12-21n

6 per cent. Money.—Under Bankers Reserve System 6 per cent. loans may be secured on city or farm property, to buy, build, improve, or pay indebtedness. BANKERS RESERVE DEPOSIT COMPANY, 1648 California Street, Denver, Colorado. 1-14n

Trespass Notice.—Notice is hereby given that all persons are strictly prohibited from trespassing in any manner whatsoever on the lands of D. M. Smith and the estate of D. P. Smith. All violators will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. D. M. SMITH, Ehrhardt, S. C. 12-21n

Wanted.—Hardwood logs. We pay highest cash prices for choice Ash, Poplar, Cypress, and White Oak logs of standard specification, delivered to Sumter by rail or truck. We buy logs twelve months in the year and give preference to loggers equipped to bring in a steady supply. What have you to offer? SUMTER HARDWOOD CO., Sumter, S. C. 12-28

For Sale.—One Hudson Super six, 7 passenger automobile, run less than fourteen thousand miles and driven by myself only. Recently thoroughly renewed, repainted, and carries new seat covers. This machine as perfect as the day it came out of Hudson factory but must be sold. Will sell on terms or trade for Real Estate, price \$900.00. W. D. BENNETT, Ehrhardt, S. C. 12-21n

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Wanted to Rent.—That most excellent plantation in Bamberg county known as Muse place 7-horse farm, four of which were idle 1921 and 22. Also 7-horse farm near Ehrhardt, S. C., very fertile lands. This is a good farm for raising stock, etc. Land capable of producing one and half bales cotton per acre, got 3-4 bale to acre present year. Only good renters able to supply themselves need bother. Might work with a good man on shares if he could furnish some cash to start. Ideal location, healthy and only 2 miles away from the thriving town of Ehrhardt. W. D. BENNETT, Ehrhardt, S. C. 12-21n